

Let's hand it to you . . . You and your doctor are the best people to make decisions about the medicines you take. But do you have the resources you need?

You do now . . . at www.anthem.com.

Find all of the information you need to become an educated healthcare consumer and informed partner with your doctor.

Here are some of the most common questions members are asking about their prescription drug program. The answer is at www.anthem.com.

- ***What is the tier assignment for my drug?*** Click on *Search the Drug Listing* and search for your drug by name or by therapeutic/disease category to find out.
- ***What drugs, other than the one I'm taking, are prescribed for my condition?*** Click on *Search the Drug Listing* and select a disease category. You will see a list of all of the drugs used to treat the disease or condition.
- ***Are there lower-cost alternatives to the drug I am taking?*** Quite possibly. Under *Search the Drug Listing*, type in the name of the drug you are taking. Click again to move to the *Drug Detail* page. This page shows if there are generic and cost-saving alternatives to your drug. It also shows the tier assignment for your drug and the drug alternatives, and the average cost for each drug. You also will find a value rating for the drugs, which rates drug cost in relation to its reported effectiveness. If a drug requires prior authorization or has quantity limits, you will find it on this page.
- ***Can I learn more about the benefits and possible side effects of a drug?*** Yes. From the *Drug Detail* page, click on the actual drug name in the chart. This links you to more detail about how the drug works, special precautions to follow, possible side effects, and more.
- ***Can I find out if my drug interacts with other drugs I am taking?*** Yes. On the *Drug Detail* page, click on the link *to check interactions with other drugs you are taking*.
- ***How can I learn more about the condition for which I am taking a drug?*** Click on *MyHealth@Anthem* from any page at www.anthem.com. Choose the *Medical Library* to research your condition. You may find yourself delving into much more information from this site, including links to *Men's Health*, *Women's Health*, and *Alternative Health*. You can even create a custom weekly e-mail newsletter featuring articles on health topics that interest you.